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This paper is being filed in response to the Election/Restriction requirement dated March 20, 2006. Applicants hereby provisionally elect Group III, claims 1-9, with traverse.